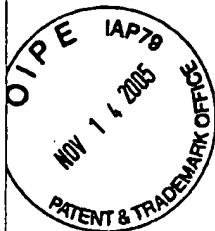


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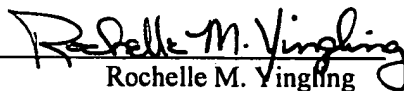
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The following amendment and remarks are being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed September 27, 2005. The allowance of Claims 7-19 and 25, and the conditional allowance of Claims 5 and 20-24 is noted and appreciated.

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